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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Simon Hastings Bittleston

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For: Control Devices For Controlling
The Position Of A Marine Seismic
Streamer

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner under 37 CFR 1.136(a) grant a three-month extension of time to and including March 25, 2002, in which to file a Response to Final Office Action dated September 24, 2001 and Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

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